

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: MEXICO'S NATIONAL FISHERIES PLAN

1. GOM DEPT FISHERIES CHIEF FERNANDO RAFFUL ANNOUNCED JULY 15 COMPLETION OF EAGERLY AWAITED NATIONAL FISHERIES PLAN. IT CALLS FOR INVESTMENT OF 600 MILLION DOLLARS OVER NEXT FIVE YEARS. DETAILS OF PLAN TO BE PUBLICIZED AFTER PRESIDENT LOPEZ PORTILLO IS BRIEFED ON JULY 29. RAFFUL INDICATED PROPOSED INVESTMENT WOULD GENERATE 100,000 JOBS BY 1982, ALSO THAT GOM WILL STIMULATE AND SUPPORT NATIONAL AND FOREIGN INVESTMENT. THE EXISTING FISHERIES LAWS ARE BEING REVISED TO MEET PRESENT NEEDS, GIVING AS EXAMPLE WHERE REVISION WILL SEEK REAL COOPERATION BETWEEN COOPERATIVES AND BOAT BUILDERS. IN GENERAL, THE NEW PROGRAM CALLS FOR EXPANSION OF NATION'S FISHING FLEET, BUILDING FISHING PORT FACILITIES, DIVERSIFYING PRESENT MARINE FISHERY, DEVELOPING FISH CULTURE IN FIVE MILLION ACRES INLAND WATERS, BOOST SHRIMP FISHING, TRAIN FISHERMEN AND INTRODUCE PROMOTIONAL PROGRAMS TO INCREASE DOMESTIC FISH CONSUMPTION. DEPT FISHERIES SPOKESMAN SAID PRODUCTION WILL BE TRIPLED IN NEXT SIX YEARS AND EXPORTS WILL BE INCREASED.

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2. EMBASSY WILL POUCH NATIONAL FISHERIES PLAN AS SOON AS AVAILABLE. LUCEY

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